

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

IN RE CATTLE AND BEEF ANTITRUST
LITIGATION

Case No. 0:20-cv-01319 JRT-HB

This Document Relates To:
IN RE DPP BEEF LITIGATION

DIRECT PURCHASER
PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR
PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF
SETTLEMENT BETWEEN DIRECT
PURCHASER PLAINTIFFS AND
JBS DEFENDANTS

Direct Purchaser Plaintiffs (“DPPs”)¹, by and through their undersigned counsel, respectfully move this Court for an Order granting preliminary approval of a settlement with Defendants JBS S.A., JBS USA Food Company, Swift Beef Company, and JBS Packerland, Inc. (collectively, “JBS”). This motion is based upon Fed. R. Civ. P. 23, and all the files, records, and proceedings herein including Plaintiffs’ Memorandum of Law in Support of Motion for Preliminary Approval of Settlement between DPPs and JBS and supporting documents.

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Respectfully Submitted,

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